

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 12, as follows:

A1 Inquiry messages are very similar to the page message but may require one additional train to collect all the responses. If no data needs to be transmitted, the piconet units may be put on hold where only an internal timer is running. When the units go out of the hold state, data transfer can be restarted instantaneously. The units may thereby remain connected, without data transfer, in a low power state. Data may be exchanged over synchronous connection oriented (SCO) links or asynchronous connectionless (ACL) links.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 1, as follows:

A2 In one embodiment, each telephone 16 or 20 acts a proxy for the remaining devices in its piconet 14 or 22. If such case, the piconets 14 and 22 may be temporarily combined into a single piconet that includes all of the devices in the piconet 22, for example, plus the device 16 that acts as a proxy for the device 12, as one example. Alternatively, the combined piconet may include the devices 12 and 16 in the piconet 14 together with the device 20, which acts as a proxy for the remaining devices in the piconet 22.